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FORMALITIES LETTER

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
 Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$782.
 - \$702 for 39 total claims over 20.
 - \$80 for 1 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
 A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1622.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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Applicant:

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Serial No:

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Sir:

COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS

- I. In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application," mailed <u>August 24, 2001</u>, enclosed please find the following documents for the above-identified application.
 - A copy of the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application -- Filing Date Granted"
 - Three (3) Original Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney Documents (4 pages each).

Certification under 37 CFR 1.10

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any document or paper referred to herein) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date, February 15, 2002, in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mailing Label Number <u>EL886079205US</u> addressed to: Box Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D. C. 20231.

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LARGE ENTITY STATUS

II. Applicant is other than an small entity.

COMPLETION FEES

III.	Completion Fees							
	1.	Filing Fee						
		\boxtimes	Original Patent Application (37 CFR 1.16(a)\$740.00)	\$740.0	00			
	2.	Fees f	for claims					
		\boxtimes	each independent claim in excess of 3 (37 CFR 1.16(b) \$84.00)	\$84.00)			
		\boxtimes	each claim in excess of 20 (37 CFR 1.16(c) \$18.00)	\$702.0	00			
			multiple dependent claim(s) (37 CFR 1.16(d) \$280.00)	\$				
	3.	Surcharge Fees						
			late payment of filing fee					
			and/or					
		\boxtimes	late filing of original declaration or oath (37 CFR 1.16(e) \$130.00)	\$	130.00			

EXTENSION OF TERM

IV. Extension of Term

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.

\boxtimes	Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:							
		Extension (months)		Fee for other than small entity				
			One month	\$	110.00	,		
			Two months	\$	400.00			
			Three months	\$	920.00			
		\boxtimes	Four months	\$	1440.00			
			Extension Fee Due	\$	1440.00			
	\boxtimes	If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor.						
		An extension for month(s) has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$\\$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.						
		Extension fee due with this request \$.						
	or							
		Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.						
TOTAL FEE DUE								
The total fee due is:								
		\boxtimes	Completion Fee(s)		\$	1656.00		
		\boxtimes	Extension Fee (if an	y)	\$	1440.00		
			Total Fee Di	ue	\$	3,096.00		

V.

PAYMENT OF FEES

VI.		Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$.
		Please charge Deposit Account Number 03-0060 of Cabot Corporation the sum of \$ 3,096.00
		AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE ADDITIONAL FEES
VII.	\boxtimes	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper under 37 CFR 1.16, or processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17 associated with this communication and during the entire pendency of this application to Deposit Account Number 03-0060 . Please credit any over-payments to Deposit Account Number 03-0060 .
		This transmittal is being filed in duplicate.
		Respectfully submitted,

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